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Ref: "EDM assembled a highly qualified team" (Exhibit 7, EDM Report, page 3).

Question(s):

- a. Please identify any team member not listed on this page.
- b. What was the role and area of responsibility of each team member?
- c. Do any of the Project Team members have expertise in probability, statistics, confidence intervals, variance, covariance, and/or statistical robustness.

HECO Response:

- a. In addition to the team members listed in the above referenced exhibit, Ms. Earlynne Oshiro, PE of HECO, Mr. Mark Miller, PE of EDM International, Inc. and Mr. Peter White of EPRISolutions, Inc. assisted with specific aspects of the project. The only other participants on the team fulfilled administrative functions, e.g., typing, formatting, and proofing the project report.
- b. Earlynne Oshiro (HECO): Ms. Oshiro served as HECO's day-to-day interface with EDM International, Inc. and EDM's subcontractors, and coordinated all project related activities on HECO's end.

Andrew H. Stewart (EDM International, Inc.): Mr. Stewart was responsible for managing the project team, conducting research, analyzing the results of data collection efforts, and writing the project report.

Dr. George Gela (EPRISolutions, Inc.): Dr. Gela was responsible for conducting research, analyzing the results of data collection efforts, and assisting with writing the project report.

Tom Harrington (TLH Management Services, Inc.): Mr. Harrington provided a local project team presence (i.e., on Oahu) to facilitate data collection activities, coordinate meetings and

provide insights on the configuration and operation of HECO's system.

Louie Benedict (TLH Management Services, Inc.): Mr. Benedict provided background information on the history of line maintenance and the LW program at HECO and assisted with the helicopter inspection of the transmission system.

Mark Miller (EDM International, Inc.): Mr. Miller assisted with the assessment of the economics of LW versus de-energized maintenance.

Mr. Peter White (EPRI Solutions, Inc.) processed photographs taken during the site visit and assisted on processing spreadsheets with line data provided by HECO.

- c. Both Mr. Stewart and Dr. Gela have working knowledge of statistical concepts and probabilities needed for analysis of HECO data and the determination of minimum approach distances for LW.